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#### **Municipal Research & Services Center.**

Non-profit, independent organization whose mission is to work for excellence in local government through professional consultation, research and information systems. Resources include information on transit-oriented development. <http://www.mrsc.org/>

#### **Puget Sound Regional Council.**

Regional growth management and transportation planning agency for the central Puget Sound region. Site includes publications on transportation plans. <http://www.psrc.org/>

#### **Surface Transportation Policy Project [STPP].**

Non-profit organization whose goal is to ensure that transportation policy and investments help conserve energy, protect environmental and aesthetic quality, strengthen the economy, promote social equity, and make communities more livable. Web site includes report "Driven To Spend: The Impact of Sprawl on Household Transportation Expenses," which includes a fact sheet on the Seattle-Tacoma-Bremerton metropolitan area. <http://www.transact.org/stpp.asp>

#### **Texas A&M University. Texas Transportation Institute.**

The largest university-affiliated transportation research agency in the U.S. <http://tti.tamu.edu/>

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Non-profit organization promoting transportation policies which relieve congestion, improve air quality, make highway travel safer and enhance economic productivity. <http://www.tripnet.org/>

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A repository of highway information and statistics. <http://www.fhwa.dot.gov/ohim/>

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Research areas include transportation alternatives such as high-speed rail and transit-based land development. <http://www-iurd.ced.berkeley.edu/>

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Basic and applied transportation research and education program, part of the National Transportation Centers Program. <http://www.uctc.net/>

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Regional transportation research and education organization, part of the National Transportation Centers Program. <http://depts.washington.edu/transnow/>

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Independent authority on taxes and efficient government; examines how public policy issues affect business, government, and the community. <http://www.researchcouncil.org/>

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